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## **Box CPA**

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This paper is a request for a continuation under 37 CFR §1.53(d) of:

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Title:

09/293,011

April 16, 1999

TRANSMITTING VIEWABLE DATA OBJECTS

The prior application was complete as defined by 37 CFR §1.51(b), or was a national stage of an international application filed in compliance with 35 USC §371.

This request for a CPA is the reference to the prior application noted above as required by 35 USC §120. Kindly abandon the prior application in favor of the continued proceedings that are requested herein.

The prior application is assigned of record to Seachange International, Inc., a Delaware corporation, by virtue of an assignment submitted to the Patent and Trademark Office and recorded on April 16, 1999 at 9899/0331.

This request includes 2 sheets.

#### **Enclosures:**

- Preliminary amendment, 10 pages.
- Small entity statement. This application is entitled to small entity status.
- -- Postcard.

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The entire disclosure of the prior application is part of this application and is incorporated by reference.

Basic filing fee	\$355
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Independent claims in excess of 3 times \$40	\$0
Fee for multiple dependent claims	\$0
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## PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Prior to examining this application, please amend the claims as indicated below:

#### In the claims:

Please cancel claims 5, 8, 10, 12-21, and 23-26.

Please amend claims 1-4, 6-7, 9 and 11 as indicated below:

1. (Twice Amended) A [network] system for providing a [transmitting] viewable data object[s]

to a viewer receiver, [the] said system [network] comprising:

a [plurality of] local server[s, to] for storing[e] a selection of[subsets of the] viewable data objects, said local server being in communication with said viewer receiver:

[a plurality of links to couple each local server to a set of viewer receivers without coupling the viewed receivers together, each local server to transmit viewable data objects to viewer receivers; and]

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